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Sir:

Applicants submit this document in response to the Notice of Allowability mailed May 11, 2000, calling for formal drawings and in response to the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review, PTO-948, attached to Paper No. 7.

Applicants enclose 17 sheets of new formal drawings (Figures 1 to 14) which have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review, PTO-948, and the Notice of Allowability.

Figures 12a, 12b, 14a and 14b are black and white photographs and are submitted as photographs because they are otherwise incapable of being accurately or adequately depicted by ink drawings. Each of these photographs are submitted in triplicate and are properly mounted on photographic double weight paper. The original photographs mounted on bristol board paper were submitted in related application Serial No. 08/470,588. The formal drawings for application 08/470,588 and the present application are identical. If necessary, Applicants respectfully request that the Patent Office access the bristol board photographs from application Serial No. 08/470,588.

Pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.84(b), Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner to accept these photographs as formal drawings. Any requisite fee for this Petition, including the fee under 37 CFR §1.17(h), may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

Applicant's draftsperson prepared formal drawings (ink drawings) for figures 8 and 9. Therefore, no petition for the acceptance of photographs for these figures is believed to be required.

It is submitted that these formal drawings (Figures 1 to 14) fully comply with 37 C.F.R. 1.84 and 1.152 and should now be acceptable.

If any fee is determined to be due for entry and consideration of these formal drawings, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

Consideration and entry of the enclosed formal drawings into the file of this application are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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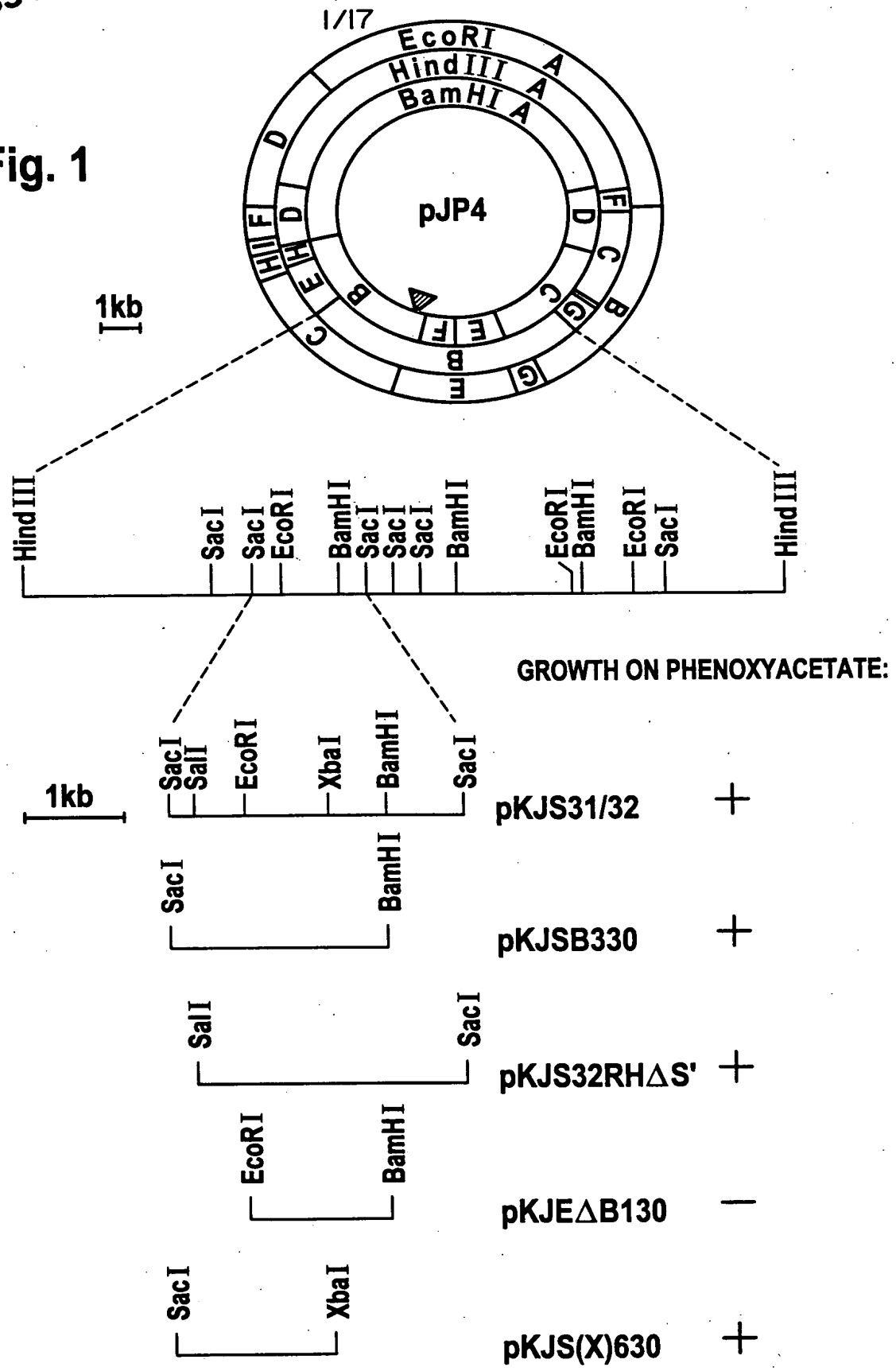
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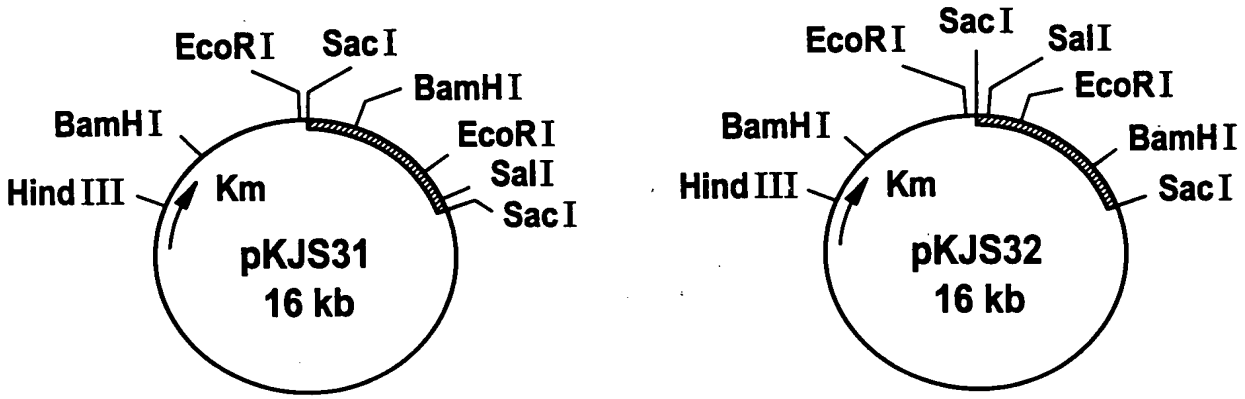
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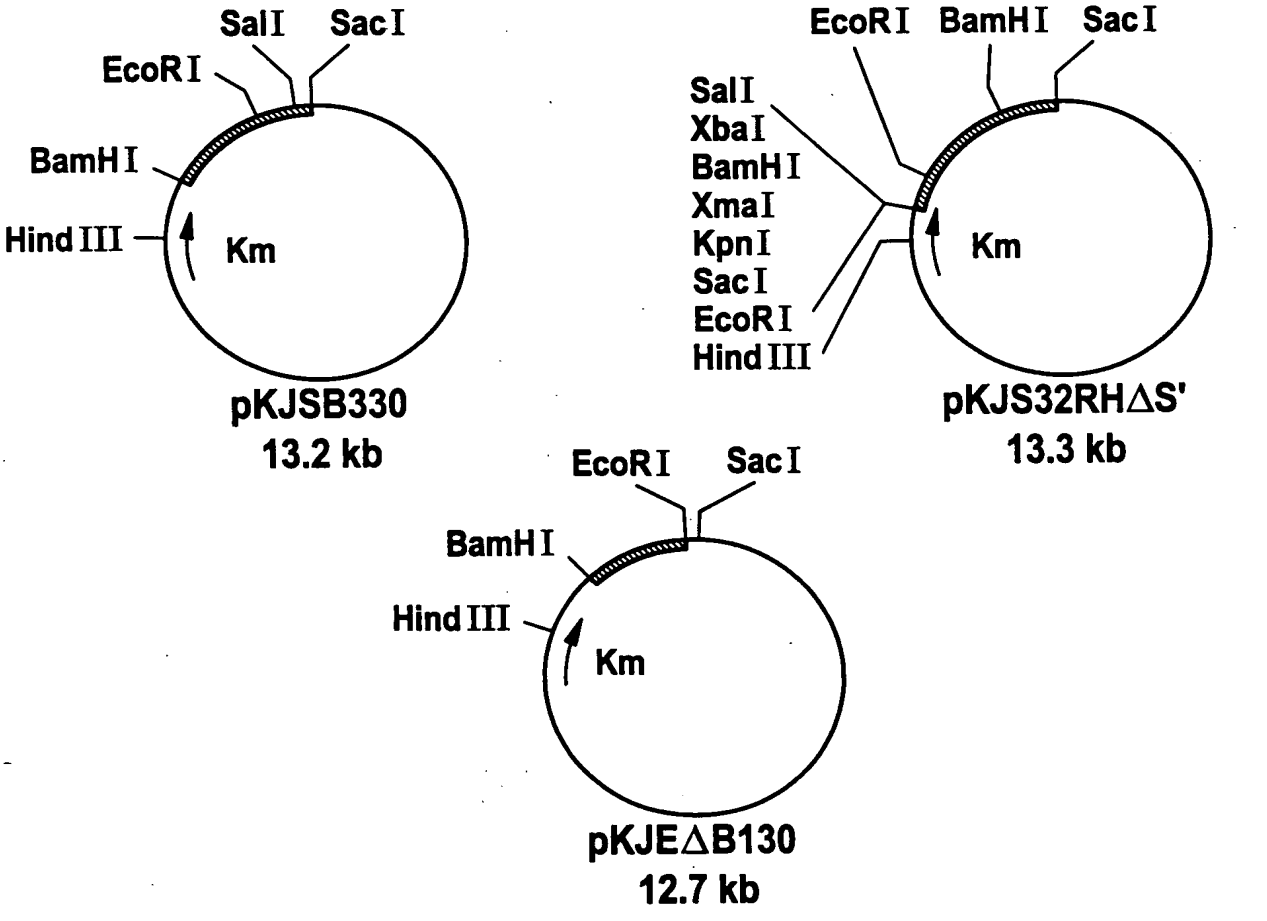
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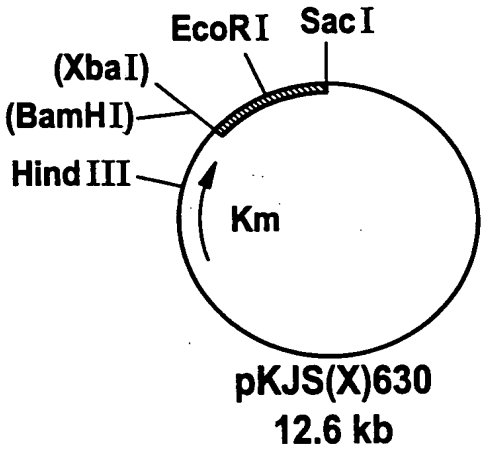
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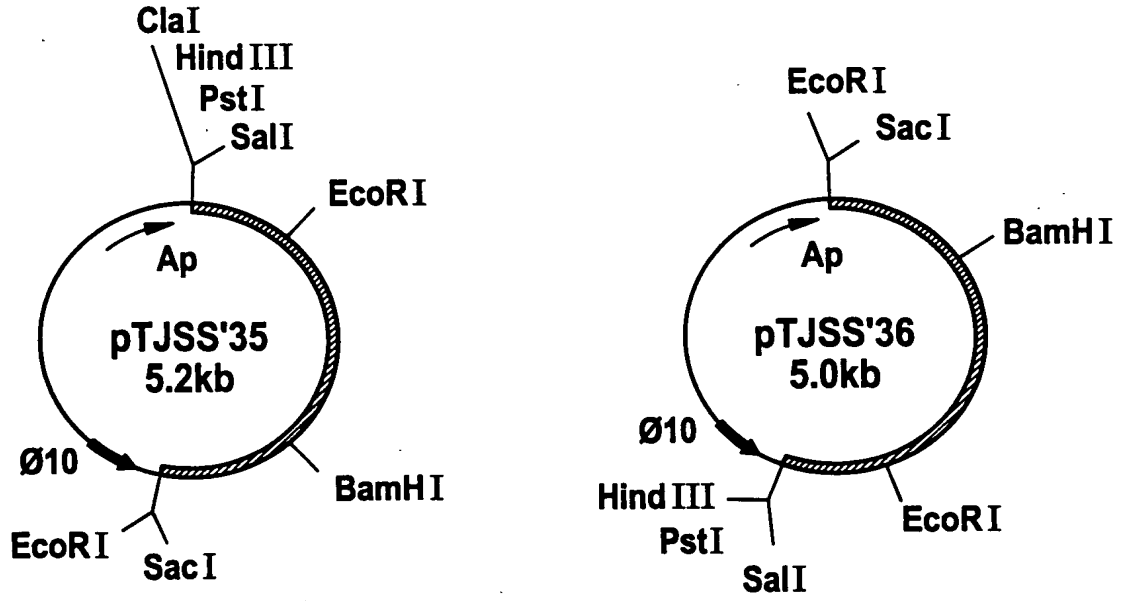
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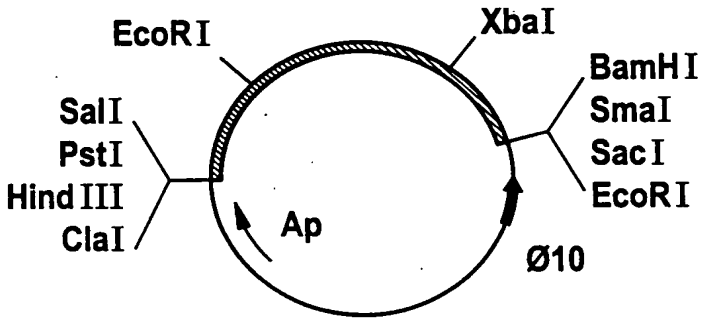

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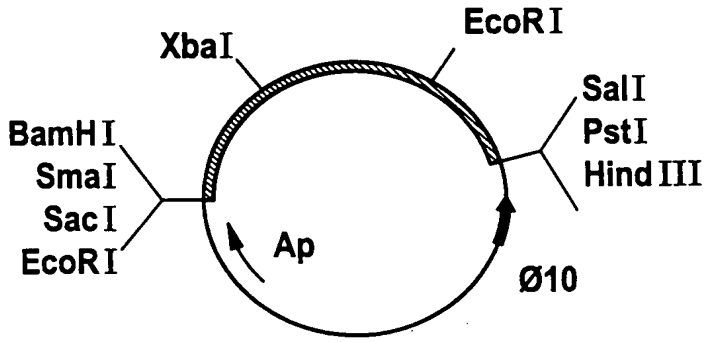

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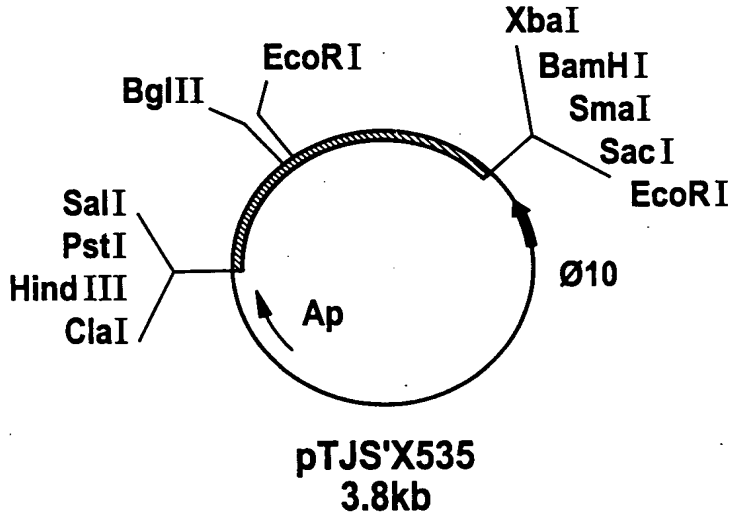

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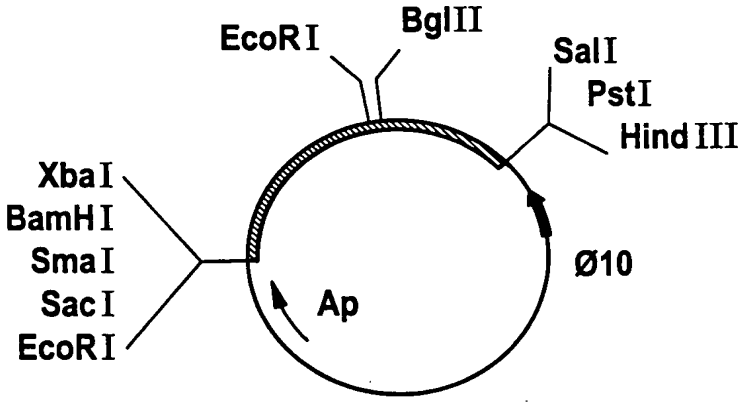

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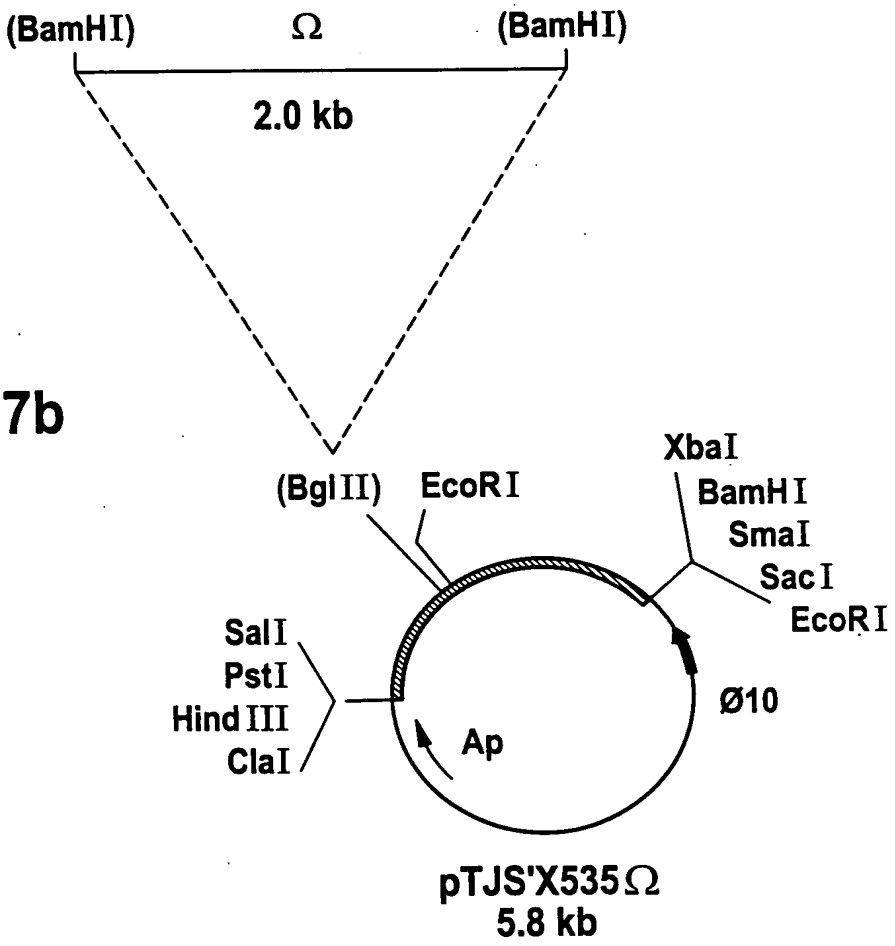
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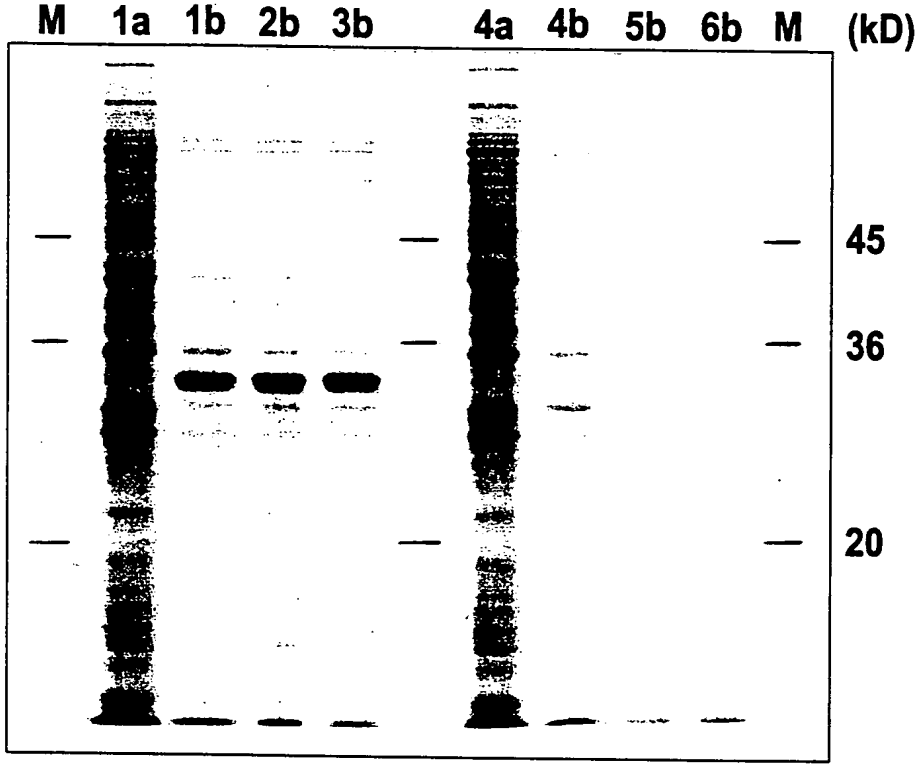

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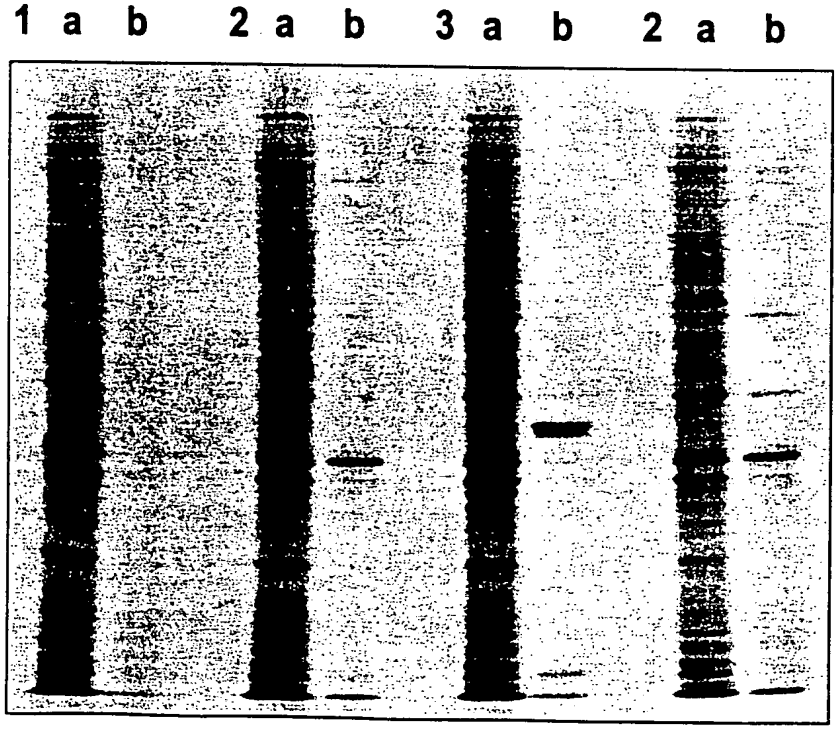

Fig. 10a-1

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Fig.10a-2

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Fig. 10a-3

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Fig. 10b-1

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Fig.10b-2

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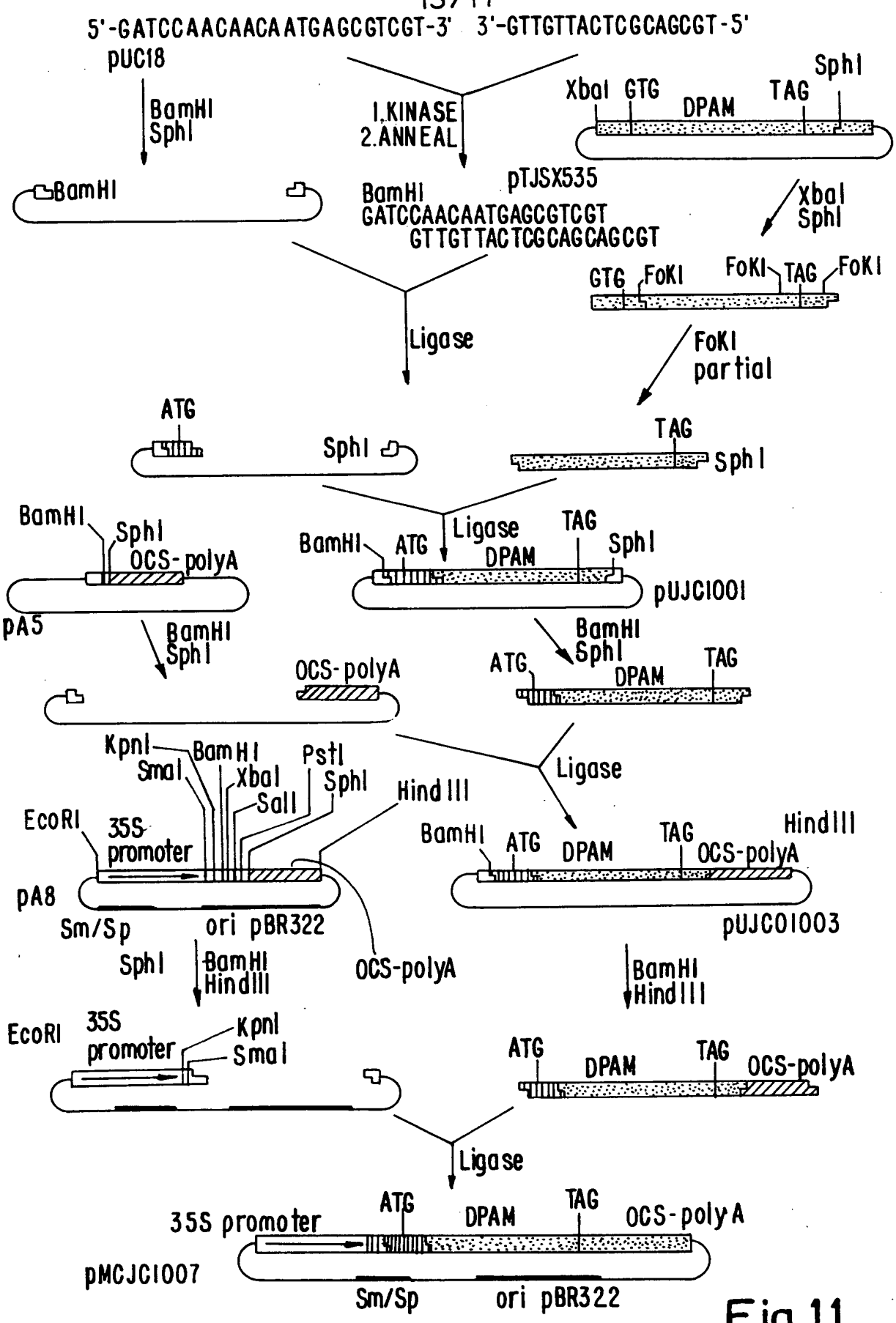
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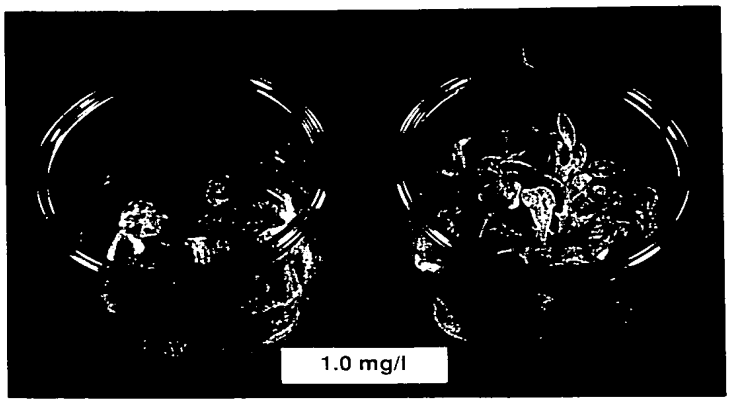
Fig.11

Fig. 12a



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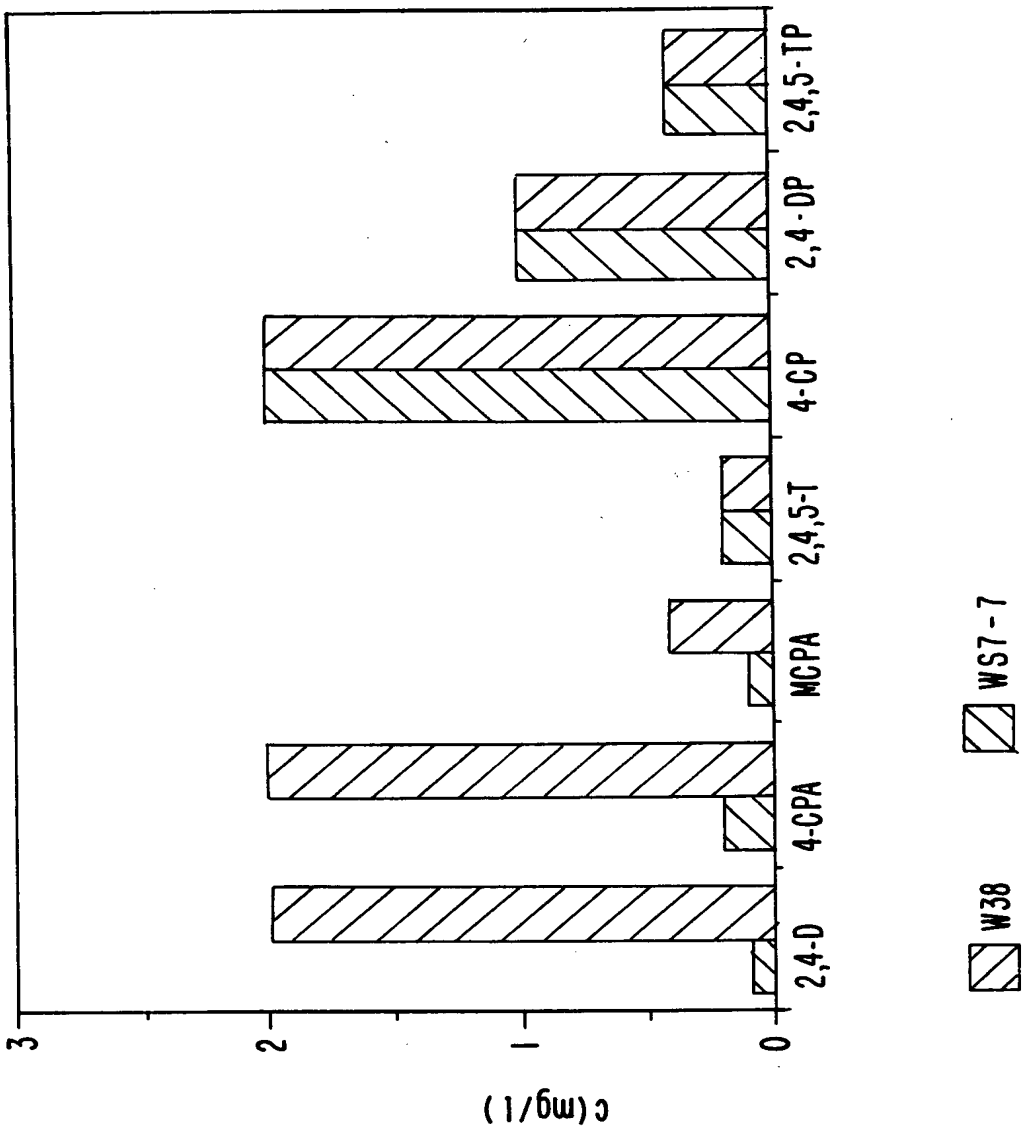

Fig. 14a

Fig. 14b